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Sir:

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

This Amendment is responsive to the Office Action of September 22, 2004 relative to the application identified above. Applicants respectfully request entry of the following Amendment and an allowance of the instant application. A request for a three-month extension of time accompanies this Amendment.